## GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA ABSTRACT

Public Services – EFS&T Department - Disciplinary action against Sri Md.Qayyum Hussain, S/o Late Md.Hussain, Forest Range Officer (Retired), BDCM (North) and presently retired – Imposition of punishment of "10% cut in pension for a period of 2 years" – Orders – Issued.

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ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (FOR.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 92

Dated: 14-08-2020. Read the following:

- 1) From PCCF Lr.Rc.No.3091/2015/D&A.3, dt.25-09- 2017.
- 2) Govt. Memo.No.4111/For.III/A1/2017, Dated: 23 -12-2017.
- 3) Govt. Memo.No.4111/For.III/A1/2017, Dated: 8.2.2020.
- 4) From PCCF Lr.Rc.No.3091/2015/D&A.3, dt.14.02.2020.
- 5) Govt. Memo.No.4111/For.III/A1/2017, Dated: 09 -07-2020.
- 6) Govt. Lr..No.4111/For.III/A1/2017, Dated: 14 -07-2020.
- 7) From the Secretary, TSPSC, Lr. No.243/ RT/TSPSC/2020, dt. 12.8.2020.

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In the reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests has reported that an Article of Charge was issued Sri Md.Qayyum Hussain, S/o Late Md.Hussain, Forest Range Officer (Retired), BDCM (North) by the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests., Hyderabad vide, Rc.No.3091/2015-VIG-2 (ii) dt. 21.02.2015 under Rule 20 of APCS (CCA) rules 1991 on the following counts:

## Article of Charge-I

That Sri Md.Qayyum Hussian, Forest Range Officer, Venkatapuram has exhibited gross neglect of duty and not supervised and monitored the staff properly which resulted in illegal extraction of tree growth in Compartment No.91 of Nuguru R.F. of Tekuagudem Beat in widening of the National High way (N.H.-20Km. 301/0 (Tekulagudem) to Km.307/0 (State Border at Tallagudem Village) and caused loss of Government .

## Article of charge-II

That he failed to bring the facts to the notice of the superior officers until it was detected by the superior officers and has not taken action as per rules.

And further the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Hyderabad vide letter dt:25.09.2017 has informed that the Charged Officer has acknowledged the Article of Charge on 24.02.2015 and submitted his Written Statement of Defense on 18.03.2015 after considering the Written Statement of Defence of the Charged Officer, The Chief Conservator of Forests, Hyderabad conducted enquiry and submitted Inquiry Report with findings on 03.03.2016 wherein, he has found that, the charge leveled proved. The Inquiry Report was Charged Officer is communicated to the charged officer by the Chief Conservator of Forests, Hyderabad vide Rc.No.3091/2015/Vig-3, dt. 30.03.2016. The Charged Officer has submitted his written representation on the Inquiry Report on 30.5.2016. Since the Charged Officer has retired from service on 28.02.2015 attaining the age of superannuation, the disciplinary proceedings are continued under Rule 9 of Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

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- 3. Government after examination of the matter & findings of the Inquiry Officer & based on the report of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, and material made available, have found that the charges framed against Sri Md.Qayyum Hussain, S/o Late Md.Hussain, Forest Range Officer (Retired), BDCM (North) are held proved and, thus, provisionally decided to impose a penalty of 10% cut in pension for a period of 2 years against Sri Md.Qayyum Hussain, S/o Late Md.Hussain, FRO (Retired), BDCM (North), under Rule 9 of Revised Pension Rules, 1980. Accordingly, a Show Cause Notice was issued to the Charged Officer vide Government memo 5<sup>th</sup> read above calling for his explanation/representation, if any, on the proposed punishment. The Charged Officer acknowledged the Show Cause Notice and submitted his explanation on 13.7.2020, as the explanation of the Charged Officer has not been convincing.
- 4. Government after examination of the explanation of the charged officer on the proposed punishment, have decided to impose the punishment of "10% cut in pension for a period of two years" against Sri Md.Qayyum Hussain, S/o Late Md.Hussain, Forest Range Officer (Retired), BDCM (North) and presently retired. Accordingly, Government vide reference 6<sup>th</sup> read above, has requested the Telangana State Public Service Commission for their concurrence on the proposal punishment.
- 5. In the reference 7<sup>th</sup> read above, the Telangana State Public Service Commission has also concurred the decision of the Government .
- 6. Accordingly, Government, hereby impose a penalty of "10% cut in pension for a period of 2 years" against Sri Md.Qayyum Hussain, S/o Late Md.Hussain, Forest Range Officer (Retired), BDCM (North) who is presently retired under Rule 9 (2) (a) of Revised Pension Rules, 1980.
- 7. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Telangana, Hyderabad shall take further necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

## A.SANTHI KUMARI SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Telangana, Hyderabad.

The individual (through the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Telangana, Hyderabad)

The Telangana Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Accountant General (A&E), Telangana, Hyderabad.

The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, Telangana, Hyderabad.

The Secretary, Telangana State Public Service Commission, Hyderabad.

(w.r.t. their Lr.No. , Lr. No.243/ RT/TSPSC/2020, dt. 12.8.2020. Sc( c. No.4111/ for.III/A1/2017)

//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//